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CULLOM WINS.

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Springfield, Ill., Jan. 17.—The senatorial contest in this state has been brought to an unexpected close, but not unexpected result. All the opponents of Senator Cullom have left the track and with an open field his election is only a question of a ballot. There is great rejoicing among the supporters of Mr. Cullom and especially those who stood out from the first against opposition which promised to be formal.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

The board of health meets this afternoon at Dr. Brother's office, and will elect officers. No health officer will be elected today, as it is desired to have the council increase the salary before the election. Dr. H. T. Hivers is mentioned as the next health officer.

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Marshal Collins placed a bundle in the vault at the city hall last evening when he was ready to go home, and calling Night Chief Henry Bailey, said:

"Henry, there's a couple of sticks of dynamite that were found today. Be careful and don't get rough with them, or they might go off."

"What did you put them in there for, anyhow?" asked Chief Bailey, as he eyed them askance and unconsciously got farther away.

"Well, I didn't have any other place," explained the marshal. "I'll see what we can do with them tomorrow."

The two sticks of "dynamite" were fully discussed among the night force, but had almost been forgotten when about 11 o'clock the big weight in the city clock fell, and as it crashed into the floor of the tower, made a tremendous noise.

Chief Bailey, Lieut. Moore and Officers Conrads and Singery, all of whom were in the building at the time, simultaneously thought of the dynamite in the vault in the next room, and almost before the echoes of the crash had died away the four officers were in the street waiting to see the city hall topple into ruin from the explosion.

It was considerably later in the night before their courage sufficiently returned to permit an investigation of the trouble.

The "dynamite" was one of Marshal Collins' bundles he wanted to insure against being molested.

No cause is assigned for the weight supporters breaking.

The weight, which worked in a groove extending to the basement, also created consternation among some of the prisoners when it descended into the lockup. It weighs about 600 pounds and when it struck one of the female prisoners turned the stove over.

ONLY A DOG.

THE SENSATION WAS NIPPED IN THE BUD.

Workmen while excavating for the patrol wagon house adjoining the city hall this morning unearthed the skeleton of what appeared at first sight to be the skeleton of an infant. It was neatly wrapped up and had been well laid away.

When they recovered from their excitement and made a closer inspection of the find, they discovered that the skeleton was that of somebody's pet dog.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The suit of Dr. J. D. Robertson against the North American Insurance company, for \$2,500 on a policy on office furniture, was dismissed by the plaintiff yesterday afternoon. The loss had been adjusted and the company was only delayed slightly in forwarding check.

The suit of Vernon Blewett against "Tex" Sprague, for \$2,000, is still on trial in the circuit court and will probably require all day, and perhaps longer. The Tole Dennis larceny case has not yet been taken up, as Dennis has not been produced in court.

BODY IN TRUNK.

New York, Jan. 17.—The police have found a trunk containing the body of a man in the East river at the foot of Pier 11. The body had been placed in the trunk with the coat and shirt covered with blood. The clothing had no marks on it.

SUMMONS AGAINST A ROAT.

Preliminary summons were taken out in United States Commissioner Poyner's office this afternoon by Newton Robinson, foreman of the City of Gloucester, for \$7.55 claimed to be due for wages.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Russell, of Little's addition, are parents of a girl baby, born today.

White Muslins.

32-inch white Linon, 10c, 15c and 20c per yard.
Fine check Muslins, 10c, 15c and 20c per yard.
Plain white dress Swiss, 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c per yard.
40-inch white Linon, 10c and 15c per yard.
Pretty Shear Linon, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard.
Fancy open lace stripe Lawn, 10c to 20c per yard.
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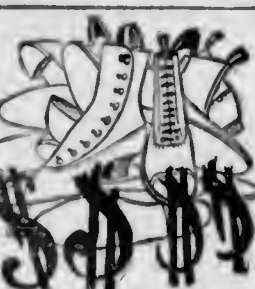
We are going to reduce our stock of Heating Stoves to make room for our Spring Stock, and to do so we will make the following prices:

\$4.00 oil heater, nicked, heavy base	\$3.00
\$5.00 " " " with coil handles	3.75
\$7.50 oak stove, nicked, trimmed, No. 11	5.63
\$9.00 " " " " " 12	6.75
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38c for Little Gent's School Shoe, Sizes, 9 to 12.	48c for Women's House slippers, in Black, Tan and Red.
98c for Youth School Shoes; very heavy. Sizes, 13 to 2.	24c for Misses' Storm Rubbers.
300 pairs Misses shoes in button or lace; Black or Tan, 98c.	15c for women's slow cut Rubbers.
48c for Misses' Heel Shoes, Sizes, 12 to 2.	10c for Child's Rubbers.
200 pairs Women's Button Shoe, All sizes; cut to 98c.	72c for Women's Felt Slippers.
\$1.24 for Women's Well Lace or Button Shoe; cut from \$2.00.	High cut, in Red, Green and Black.
	74c for Women's quilted Romeos cut from \$1.50.
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A GRIZZLY
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Teddy threw his gun away and ran, the bear in pursuit. The other hunters with full magazines opened fire and killed the grizzly just as it was fifteen feet from Colonel Roosevelt, who had stumbled and fallen into the snow.

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"Henry, there's a couple of sticks of dynamite that were found today. Be careful and don't get rough with them, or they might go off."

"What did you put them in there for, anyhow?" asked Chief Bailey, as he eyed them askance and unconsciously got farther away.

"Well, I didn't have any other place," explained the marshal. "I'll see what we can do with them tomorrow."

The two sticks of "dynamite" were fully discussed among the night force, but had almost been forgotten when about 11 o'clock the big weight in the city clock fell, and as it crashed into the floor of the tower, made a tremendous noise.

Chief Bailey, Lieut. Moore and Officers Gontenx and Singery, all of whom were in the building at the time, simultaneously thought of the dynamite in the vault in the next room, and almost before the echoes of the crash had died away the four officers were in the street waiting to see the city hall topple into ruin from the explosion.

It was considerably later in the night before their courage sufficiently returned to permit an investigation of the trouble.

The "dynamite" was one of Marshal Collins' bundles he wanted to insure against being molested.

No cause is assigned for the weight supporters breaking.

The weight, which worked in a groove extending to the basement, also created consternation among some of the prisoners when it descended into the lockup. It weighs about 600 pounds and when it struck one of the female prisoners turned the stove over.

ONLY A DOG.

THE SENSATION WAS NIPPED IN THE BUD.

Workmen while excavating for the patrol wagon house adjoining the city hall this morning unearthed the skeleton of what appeared at first sight to be the skeleton of an infant. It was nearly wrapped up and had been well laid away.

When they recovered from their excitement and made a closer inspection of the find, they discovered that the skeleton was that of somebody's pet dog.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The suit of Dr. J. D. Robertson against the North American Insurance company, for \$2,500 on a policy on office furniture, was dismissed by the plaintiff yesterday afternoon. The loss had been adjusted and the company was only delayed slightly in forwarding check.

The suit of Vernon Blewett against "Tex" Sprague, for \$2,000, is still on trial in the circuit court and will probably require all day, and perhaps longer. The Tobe Dennis lunacy case has not yet been taken up, as Dennis has not been produced in court.

BODY IN TRUNK.

New York, Jan. 17.—The police have found a trunk containing the body of a man in the East river at the foot of Pier 11. The body had been placed in the trunk with the coat and shirt covered with blood. The clothing had no marks on it.

SUMMONS AGAINST A BOAT. Preliminary summons were taken out in United States Commissioner Pargyler's office this afternoon by Newton Robinson, foreman of the City of Goldcoast, for \$7.65 claimed to be due for wages.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolo-Russell, of Little's addition, are parents of a girl baby, born today.

White Muslins.

32-inch white Linon, 10c, 15c and 20c per yard.
Fine check Muslins, 10c 15c and 20c per yard.

Plain white dress Swiss, 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c per yard.
40-inch white Linon, 10c and 15c per yard.

Pretty Shear Linon, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard.
Fancy open lace stripe Lawn, 10c to 20c per yard.

36-inch fine Shear Batiste, 25c and 38c per yard.
Very fine Shear Persian Lawn, 25c per yard.

Beautiful Paris Muslin in very fine Shear quality and extra wide, 40c, 50c and 75c per yard.

Fine lot of Organdies, 25c up to 75c per yard at
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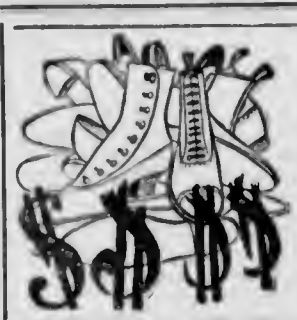
We are going to reduce our stock of Heating Stoves to make room for our Spring Stock, and to do so we will make the following prices:

\$4.00 oil heater, nickeled, heavy base	- - -	\$3.00
\$5.00 " " " with coil handles	- - -	3.75
\$7.50 oak stove, nickeled, trimmed, No. 11	- - -	5.63
\$9.00 " " " " " " 12	- - -	6.75
\$10.00 open front, Franklin	- - -	7.50
\$12.00 " " " " " " "	- - -	9.00
\$18.50 air tight, nickeled, very heavy	- - -	13.88
\$20.00 " " " " " " "	- - -	15.00
\$24.00 " " " " " " "	- - -	18.00

All other Heating Stoves at same discount. Come quick; they won't last long.

Jas. W. Gleaves & Sons.

416 BROADWAY.



Only Parts Of Dollars SALE AT ROCK'S.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE PRICES:

38c for Childs Button Shoe. Sizes, 5 to 8.	74c for an elegant fur trimmed Women's slipper, in Black and Tan.
88c for Little Gent's School Shoe. Sizes, 9 to 12.	48c for Women's House slippers, in Black, Tan and Red.
98c for Youth School Shoes; very heavy. Sizes, 13 to 2.	24c for Misses' Storm Rubbers.
300 pairs Misses shoes in button or lace; Black or Tan, 98c.	15c for women's low cut Rubbers.
48c for Misses' Heel Shoes. Sizes, 12 to 2.	10c for Child's Rubbers.
200 pairs Women's Button Shoe. All sizes; cut to 98c.	72c for Women's Felt Slippers. High cut, in Red, Green and Black.
\$1.24 for Women's Welt Lace or Button Shoe; cut from \$2.00.	74c for Women's quilted Romeos cut from \$1.50.
	Men's Slippers at cost.
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We Give You \$5 Worth FOR \$3.50. ANY STACY ADAMS TAN SHOE IN THE HOUSE FOR \$3.50. REGULAR PRICE \$5.

A GRIZZLY.
Meeker, Colo., Jan. 17.—News comes from the Keystone ranch that Colonel Roosevelt had a narrow escape from a grizzly bear. Brinn was fifteen feet from Colonel Roosevelt, who had stumbled and fallen into the snow. Colonel Roosevelt ran ahead of his party and opened fire on the animal. The bear turned and charged toward the hunters. By this time the magazine of Roosevelt's weapon was empty. Teddy threw his gun away and ran, the bear in pursuit. The other hunters with full magazines opened fire and killed the grizzly just as it was about to reach Colonel Roosevelt.

Now is the time to do your domestic sewing. See what we are offering in Long Cloths and Nainsooks for ladies' and Children's wear.
36-inch English Long Cloth, 12 yards in a bolt for \$1.00 per bolt.
36-inch Imperial Long Cloth fine Chamois finish, \$1.20 per bolt.
36-inch fine English Nainsook, 12 yards in a bolt, \$1.50 per bolt.
ELLIS, RUDY & PHILLIPS.
Good and cheap job work—Sun office.

This Week

We will place on display our Beautiful line of wash materials, just received, in French Gingham, Linons, Batiste, Fine Madras, New Light Percalés and New Mercerized Foulards in beautiful Persian designs. We invite your attention to the many beautiful things offered.

Shirt Waists and Dress Muslins.

32-inch fine White Linon, 10c and 20c per yard.
36-inch very fine White Shear Linon, 25c and 35c per yard.
White Persian Lawn, very fine shear quality, 35c and 35c per yard.
Beautiful White Lace Stripes, 15c to 35c per yard.
Fine White fancy stripe Dimity, 15c, 20c and 25c per yard.
Extra fine Past Black Dimity, 35c per yard.
Beautiful Black silk Dimity, 50c per yard.
Very fine White shear Batiste, 25c, 30c and 35c per yard.
Fine quality Checked Nainsook, 10c, 15c and 20c per yard.
Fancy Colored Lace Stripes Batiste, 25c per yard.

Swisses.

Pine White Dotted Swiss for waists and dresses, 20c and 45c yard.
Very fine White Shear Dotted Swiss, 75c per yard.
Beautiful White Swiss with Black dot, 45c per yard.

Colored Organdies and Lawns.

Very pretty Shear Organdies, in all the fashionable shades, for party dresses, 10c per yard.
Also so called Colored Lawns with fancy raised stripes, 10c per yard.
36-inch White Organdy, 25c per yard.
Fine White Shear Organdy, 72-inches wide, 50c and 75c per yard.

Ginghams and Madras.

75 pieces Fast Colored Stripes and checked Madras cloth, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard.
32-inch Shirting Madras, 9c per yard.
Pine Corded Stripes Madras in any color, 25c per yard.
Fancy Lace Stripes Madras, fast colors, 25c per yard.
Very fine fancy Stripes French Gingham, 60c per yard.
Beautiful Silk Stripes Gingham in assorted colors, 50c per yard.

Foulards for Waists and Party Dresses.

Mercerized Foulards in beautiful Persian patterns in old Rose, Cadet Blue, Caucary, Red and Navy, look just like silk, 35c per yard.

Cheap Dress Goods.

32-inch Novelty Plaids for Waists and Children's dresses, 15c yard.
34-inch all Wool Novelty in Brown and Blue mixture, 25c per yard.
36-inch Henriettes in Old Rose, Brown, Green, Blue and Black, 25c per yard.
All Wool Red and White stripe Cheviot, 35c per yard.
All Wool Grey Honespun for Skirts, 50c per yard.
45-inch all Wool Serge in Brown, Blue and Purple, 50c per yard.
47-inch all Wool Black Henrietta, 50c per yard.

Light and Dark Percalés.

200 yards Light Percalé Stripes and Checked fast colors for waists and dresses, 35-inches wide, 8 1/2c and 12 1/2c per yard.
36-inch Red, Light and Dark Blue Percalé, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard.

Shirting Cheviots and Jeans.

Regular Hickory Shirting, the best that is made, 10c per yard.
An excellent Shirting Cheviot, 8 1/2c per yard.
School Boy Jeans, half wool, fine for wear, 15c per yard.
Good heavy Jeans in Brown and Grey, 25c per yard.

Hosiery.

Misses' Heavy Ribbed Black Hosiery, sizes 5 1/2 to 9 1/2, 10c pair.
Misses' fine ribbed Black Hosiery, sizes 5 1/2 to 9 1/2, 15c pair.
Misses' fine ribbed Black Lisle Hosiery, 25c per pair.
Boys' heavy ribbed Bicycle Hosiery, sizes 6 1/2 to 10, 15c pair.
Try the new Pay Stocking. We have them in Misses' and Ladies' sizes, 85c, 35c and 40c per pair.

Machines.

Why pay \$60.00 to an agent for a sewing machine when you can get a good High Grade Cabinet Machine guaranteed for five years from us for \$22.50? The agent places machine in your house and is gone; machine gets out of order and to have it fixed is MORE MONEY out of YOUR pocket; but we are here to stay and when a machine is bought of us and does not prove to be as represented we will make it satisfactory without extra expense to you.

A BASKET

If you want big shoe values for little money come to our Basket Sale. We have placed different lines of shoes in baskets so you can get at them easily.



SHOE SALE.

We have marked price on each shoe we want to unload before inventory and before getting in our SPRING STOCK. If you come and take a look you'll buy.

SOME OF THE SNAPS FOR THIS MONTH:

88c buys Boy's Lace shoe, sizes 1 1/2 to 5 1/2.
75c buys Boy's Lace shoe, sizes 13 to 2.
63c buys Boy's Lace shoe, sizes 9 to 12.
99c buys Women's Satin quilted Fur trimmed slippers, were \$1.00.
74c buys Women's Fur trimmed warm lined slippers, were \$1.00.
75c buys Misses' Red Fur trimmed slipper, a beauty.
\$1.75 Rayon-Day Boot in Vici, heavy sole, were \$2.00.
\$2.45 Rayon-Day Boot in Vici, heavy sole, cheap at \$3.50.
\$1.95 buys Men's heavy sole extension edge Box Calf or Vici.
\$1.50 buys Boy's Calf lined Winter shoes, were \$2.00.
We can interest you in footwear if prices will do it.

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Are the Chicanos so numerous and general because their "home" is in this apparently new one?

Paducah should again make an effort to place the names of its citizens on the increasing numbers. This is a long list.

The work of making new citizens, lately the apparent chief purpose of a number of immigrants, is about over. A few newcomers are coming, but a job has been done.

There is much said in the press, by the M. D. of course, about the benefits of immigration to the city. But there is little satisfaction in the "say." What the people wish is a way or the man to kill the aforesaid benefits.

Trolley lines are encroaching upon steam railroads just like automobiles are encroaching upon horse-drawn carriages. Time won't be long before these competitors in traffic and movement stand about on an equal footing, and then the fight for supremacy will follow.

If half the Louisville press says of justice for this city—the exponents of the laws for public welfare and protection of life especially—that place is a hot bed of lawlessness second to neither Chicago or New York though much smaller. The "metropolis" from the publications made, and borne out by court records, is morally as well as politically almost rotten to the core.

Congressman Levy, who is a New York Democrat, declares that Bryan told him that if he were elected he would pay out silver in meeting the monetary demands of the government. This query was often put to Bryan in the canvass, but he refused to answer it. It is well to put the gold standard boyhood menace from any base money president. If the gold points in the hills now before congress are combined in one measure and enacted, the gold standard law will be complete, and nothing short of a republicanist house, senate and president simultaneously can prevail against it.

The Cincinnati Times-Star calls attention to the queer fact that some leading anti-imperialists who are anxious to have the constitution carried out in every detail in the Philippines and Porto Rico, are wholly opposed to having carried out in those states of the union that have deprived a large number of their citizens of the right of suffrage for other causes than participate in rebellion or other crime. In citing the statement above the Louisville Commercial pointedly adds: "That exhibition of inconsistency would be more queer to other people, however. That anti-imperialists are too essentially a queer set to make one little eccentricity remarkable."

A few months ago a terrible explosion of chemicals in a drug factory in New York caused a great loss of life and was the subject of excited discussion for several days. Some new sensation drove it out of the public mind and most people have probably forgotten all about it by this time. The local authorities here meanwhile have been conducting an inquiry and have just published their conclusion, which is that the legal restrictions upon the storage of explosives were entirely disregarded in this case and that the building was filled with great quantities of dangerous warlike material in violation of law. It is intimated that the owners are to be prosecuted, but nothing is said about the officials who must have connived in this criminal carelessness. Laws of this kind are not self-enforcing, and official inspectors in all large cities need to be spurred to constant vigilance. Though the fire drew attention to this matter, the long delay following it has effected the impression and it will probably require another fatal explosion to drive the lesson home.

REWARDS FOR BANDITS.
Dead bandits are worth \$250 apiece in Kansas City, Mo., and only \$25 in Kansas City, Kan. There have been so many highway robberies in both places that the rewards mentioned have been offered to anyone who will appear at police headquarters with a defunct bandit on his shoulder. Orders have been issued to please pay to bearer \$250 on satisfactory proof that he is the author of the footpad's decrease. The wide difference between the price of footpads in Kansas City, Kan., which are only separated by an imaginary line and a row of saloons, will be almost certain to engender.

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Take Laxative Bismuth Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

DEATH AT LOVELACEVILLE.
Mr. E. P. Billington, aged 60, well known resident of Lovelaceville, died yesterday, after a brief illness, leaving a family. He was an uncle of Mr. Buck Billington, of this county. The funeral took place today.

HAVE YOU ANY OF THESE

SYMPTOMS OF A VERY COMMON TROUBLE.

There is no disease so common in the United States as catarrh because it appears in so many forms and attacks so many different organs.

It is a common mistake to suppose that catarrh is confined to the nose and throat. An inflammation of the mucous membrane wherever located is catarrh. Catarrh of stomach or bladder, or intestines is nearly as common as nasal catarrh, and much more serious although it is true that stomach catarrh and catarrh of other internal organs is the result of neglected nasal catarrh.

A new remedy has recently appeared which so far as tested seems to be remarkably effective in promptly curing catarrh, wherever located. The preparation is sold by druggists generally under name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and in addition to being very palatable and convenient, possesses extraordinary merit, in many cases giving immediate relief from the coughing, hawking and constant clearing of the throat and head, these symptoms with which everyone is familiar who has ever suffered from colds in the head and throat.

Catarrh is simply a continuation of these symptoms until the trouble becomes chronic and grows gradually worse from year to year.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are composed of Hydrastin, Eucalyptol, Gaiacol and similar antiseptics and catarrh specifics, from which it will be seen that no secret is made of the ingredients and also that no mineral poisons are used, as is the case with many well known catarrh medicines.

For catarrh of the nose, throat, bronchial tubes, for catarrh of the stomach, intestines or bladder no preparation is so safe and gives such rapid and permanent results as Stuart's Catarrh Tablets.

All druggists sell them at 50c for full sized package. You can see them with assurance that you will not contract the cocaine or morphine habit as the results from this catarrh cure are apparent from the first day's use.

MAYFIELD MARRIAGE.
MR. ED. BOLINGER, FORMERLY OF OUR FIRE DEPARTMENT, WEDS MISS ROSE WHITFORD.

A marriage of interest to Paducah people, because the contracting parties are both quite well known here, is that of Mr. Ed. Bolinger to Miss Rose L. Whitford, at Mayfield, night before last.

Mr. Bolinger was for several years a member of the Paducah fire department, and was in one of the Tennessee regiments in the Philippines until about a year ago. His bride has visited in Paducah quite a number of times and is well and favorably known here. She and Mr. Bolinger had been sweethearts for ten or twelve years, and while their marriage was not a great surprise, it was unexpected.

Rev. H. C. Roberts, of the Baptist church, performed the ceremony. Mr. Bolinger is now an ice dealer in Mayfield.

HAS MANY DESCENDANTS.
Mrs. Nancy A. Mitchell, who lives in Lyon county, is believed to have a greater number of living descendants than any other woman in Kentucky, if not to the United States. She has 237 descendants, including ten children, one hundred grandchildren, one hundred and twenty great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Mitchell is 84 years of age and has been married seventy years. Only one of her children died. In spite of her great age she is in good health.

KING OF SWEDEN A LINGUIST.
The King of Sweden and Norway is noted as an admirable linguist. When the oriental congress met at Stockholm, some years ago, he addressed the assembled nationalities in the languages of the nationalities to which they respectively belonged, and spoke with equal fluency in English, French, German, Italian, Russian and Spanish.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.
As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces, such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists, 75c per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The properties of BALLARD'S SNOW-LINIMENT possesses a range of usefulness greater than any other remedy. A day seldom passes in every household, especially where there are children, that it is not needed. Price 25 and 50 cents. Dr. Boia & Co.

Evening Sun only 10 cents a week.

WHAT IS AT STAKE

WHY THE NEW ARMY BILL SHOULD BECOME A LAW.

Facis Relative to the Soldiers of Our Nation Just New of Much Interest.

Says the Chicago Inter-Ocean: The United States army now contains 97,000 officers and enlisted men. It has eleven regiments of cavalry, seven regiments of artillery, and forty-nine regiments of infantry.

Of the first cavalry four troops or companies are in Montana, Wyoming and the Dakotas, and eight troops are in the Philippines. The second cavalry is in Cuba. The third and fourth are in the Philippines. The fifth cavalry is in the United States. The sixth cavalry is in China and the Philippines. The seventh in China, the eighth in Cuba and the United States. Four troops of the ninth are in Utah and Arizona and eight troops are in the Philippines. Six troops of the tenth are in Cuba and four are in the United States. The eleventh, volunteer cavalry, is in the Philippines.

The battery of the first artillery, eight batteries of the third, one of the fourth, eleven of the sixth, and two of the seventh are in the Philippines. All the other artillery companies are in the United States, Cuba, Porto Rico and Hawaii. Of the regular infantry regiments the third, fourth, sixth, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, nineteenth, twentieth, twenty-first, twenty-second, twenty-third, twenty-fourth, twenty-fifth, with battalions from other regiments, are in the Philippines. The ninth infantry is in China, the tenth is in China and at stations in Nebraska and Wyoming. The eleventh has been in Porto Rico and at stations in our own Eastern states. The twenty-four regiments of volunteers are all in the Philippines.

The full strength of the twenty-four regiments of volunteer infantry is 32,618. The full strength of the regiments of volunteer cavalry—the fourth—is 1,284 men. There are in the regiments of regular cavalry 12,092 officers and men, in the seven regiments of artillery 10,191, and in the twenty-five regular regiments of infantry 34,583. The aggregate of artillery, cavalry, and infantry in the Philippines is 65,725. This leaves about 32,000 men for duty in the United States, Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii, Alaska and Guam.

Of the regular army 508 officers and 5,702 enlisted men are in the quartermaster's, commissary, medical, engineering, signal and other departments. Probably 5,000 are in the artillery, and in force on the frontier or guarding the coasts, and 1,579 are Indian scouts. With a regular army of 65,000 men, we would have, outside of departments and coast defenses, not more than 54,000 officers and men for campaign work. With a regular army of 27,000 we would have not more than 16,000 for active campaigning.

Under the present law all of the twenty-four volunteer infantry regiments and the regiment of cavalry are to be mustered out of the service by the 1st of next July. This will take 34,574 officers and men from the army of 97,000. Under the law the regular army of 65,000 is to be reduced to 27,000, the main reduction coming in cavalry and infantry. The United States will then have for work on its own frontier and in Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii, and the Philippines twenty-five regiments of infantry, with companies reduced to the minimum, and ten regiments of cavalry.

The inadequacy of this force is apparent to every one. The danger of such depletion of our fighting strength need not be enlarged upon. For the last year the Philippine rebels have kept struggling forces in the field by holding out the hope of exchange of policy in the United States. That hope has been destroyed. Now the leaders will try to keep their men in the fields for holding out the inducement of outlawry and plunder when the United States is compelled to withdraw more than half the troops now in the Philippines.

The necessities of the situation demand an army reorganization by the Fifty-sixth congress. The nation cannot wait for the Fifty-seventh. Even if in the coming campaign in Luzon, under the personal direction of General MacArthur, the guerrilla bands of Filipinos are suppressed, there still must be a strong force in the island. To prevent disaster, outlawry, and massacre in the Philippines the rebels must have notice through congress that the regular army of the United States is to be made large enough at once to meet any emergency. And the sooner they get that notice the better it will be for all concerned.

"THE WHITE DEATH."
Of all the natural phenomena peculiar to the Rock mountain region, none is more strange or terrible than the mysterious storm known to the Indians as "the white death." Self-inflicted men have never yet had an opportunity of investigating it, because it comes at the most unexpected times, and may keep away from a certain locality for years. Well read men who have been through it say that it is really a frozen fog. But where the fog comes from is more than any one



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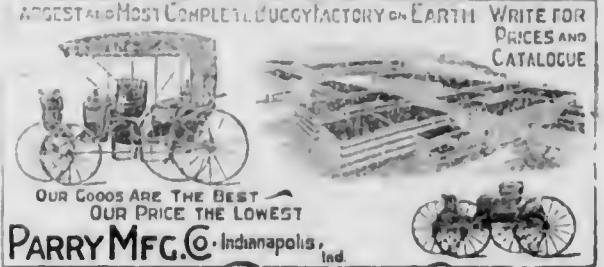
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IT IS A MYSTERY

A Burglar Visits County Clerk Charles Graham's Office In the Night.

GOES THROUGH EVERYTHING

Attempted to Break Into the Big Vault, But Was Unsuccessful—Object Only Surmised.

THE TRACKS INDICATE A WHITE MAN

From Tuesday's Daily.

The most mysterious burglary that has occurred in Paducah since the visit in the circuit clerk's office was visited several years ago and all the indications stolen, was committed last night.

County Clerk Graham's office, in the southeast corner of the court house, was visited and every paper in the office examined and left on the floor. When Deputy County Clerk Smiley opened up about 7 o'clock he was amazed at the spectacle that greeted him.

Every drawer, box and receptacle outside the vault had been thoroughly ransacked, and the papers were open, inspected and consigned in the middle of the floor, where they lay in a most confusing mass.

Entrance to the office was gained through one of the windows on the east side of the office. Not being fastened down, it was comparatively an easy matter to hoist it and climb in.

A systematic search through the papers was then instituted, with what object is not known.

An effort was made to gain entrance to the big vault, but without success. A key was broken off in the lock, and Deputy Smiley's scissors were ruined in a fruitless attempt to manipulate the lock.

No papers, so far as is known, were either stolen or destroyed, and it is believed that the would-be thief was unsuccessful in his quest, whatever it was. He was evidently in search of some paper or record of importance to himself and did not seem disposed to molest any of the things to which he had access.

County Clerk Graham would prefer, however, that whenever burglars visit his office hereafter, they leave things more orderly.

Tracks were found outside the window, where the burglar jumped from it and they indicate by size and shape that the man was white.

Thus far there is no clue to the perpetrator, and the affair bids fair to remain as much a mystery as the almost forgotten robbery of the safe in the circuit clerk's office.

GOSLET DODGED HIS TAXES.

New York, Jan. 15.—The report of the appraiser appointed by the Saragat to establish the valuation of Ogen Goslet's property, has been made public and shows that it was worth nearly \$7,000,000, instead of being a trifling over \$400,000, the estimate furnished by the family.

The full value of the personal estate is placed at \$6,511,313. Items allowed by the executor and for administering the estate reduce the personalty to \$1,100,483. While the value of the real estate has never been determined, it is said to exceed \$455,000,000. The executor estimated it as "over \$5,000,000."

Some time this week \$300,000 will be paid over to Robert Goslet, the only son of the late Ogen Goslet, who came of age last Wednesday.

GIRL STOOD OFF MEN.

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 15.—Hanklin Clemens, a farmer, six miles from town, was assaulted and robbed at the door of his home Saturday night and he will probably die. His daughter-in-law barricaded the house and stood the burglars off. Clemens, a miser, owns 1,600 acres of land and has much other wealth. His son, Robert, committed suicide because of the daughter he was forced to do, and one of his daughters committed suicide because she married against her father's will and was disowned.

CREMATION WITH LIQUID AIR.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—After a protracted series of experiments, a Chicago physician is said to have succeeded in perfecting a method by which human bodies may be cremated with the use of liquid air at a cost which is nominal in comparison with the present expensive methods. The method involves the treatment of the body to be cremated with a chemical substance and exposure to a current of electricity in liquid air. The combination is said to be perfect, practically no smoke or odor resulting.

FORCED TO OPEN SAFE.

Versailles, O., Jan. 15.—Five masked robbers broke in the door of the home of Henry Stroker, six miles north, late Saturday night, bound and gagged Stroker, his wife and son, forced Stroker to open his safe and give them \$550. The thieves then left from the barn and escaped.

ALL GUARANTEED.

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WIRELESS TELEGRAPHY.

INTERESTING EXPERIMENTS WHICH SHOW THE SCIENCE IS GROWING.

Consul Roosevelt at Brussels reports to the state department that a station has been established at La Panne, Belgium, for the exchange of wireless telegraphic messages, between Belgium and England. La Panne was selected on account of its being the point of the Belgium littoral nearest the English coast and a mast of the Marconi system 180 feet high was erected there. The Dover Ostend mail boat Princess Clementine was fitted up with temporary apparatus for use in experimental trials. An additional mast was affixed to the foremast of this vessel, increasing its original height about sixty feet. From that extremity the telegraphic waves are projected toward each coast. A special room has been fitted up on the steamer for the instruments and from that room the cable is carried to the top of the extended mast. It is confidently expected to maintain communication between ship and shore for at least thirty miles, which is about half way across.

With stations at La Panne and Dover those on board the vessel will be able to keep in touch with the land during the entire trip across.

Recent experiments showed that replies arrived with the same regularity and celerity as ordinary telegrams. When about forty miles from Ostend the captain was able to telegraph the station master at Ostend the probable hour of his arrival. Various telegrams were sent from the vessel to Ostend, Brussels, Dover and London, and the reception of each message was acknowledged promptly. Subsequently, the consul adds, a message was sent from the vessel to the station at Dover coast, a distance of nearly ninety miles, including many miles of cliffs and sea.

THE PRESIDENT'S TERM.

In suggesting two reforms in the electoral system—one providing for extending the presidential term and the other insuring that the presidential candidate with the largest popular vote shall get the office—ex-President Cleveland touches on problems which very likely will have to be solved during the century. As the new system of government grows in the extent of its operations and as the burdens resting upon the government become more and more cumbersome the need for such changes will increase. Already, as Mr. Cleveland points out, the four years term gives a president little more than a chance to inaugurate policies of state. Of the four sessions of congress in the term, two are so brief as to admit of little more than the passing of the necessary appropriation bills. The first comes at a time when the president is new in his office and has many incidental problems to consider. The last falls at a time when political consideration as to the forthcoming election tend to hamper legislation.

Neither of Mr. Cleveland's suggestions is new, but as time goes by new reasons for considering them arise. Whatever may be thought of the proposition to make the election of the president dependent upon the popular vote, there is now, more than ever, good reasons for weighing the advantages to be gained by a lengthening of the presidential term. A president holding office for six or seven years, say, and ineligible for reelection would have time to formulate and carry out a definite policy. The nation would be spared the recurrence every four years of the disturbances created by a national campaign. Far more than all, perhaps, is the fact that the incentive to defer to questions of political expediency would be removed. The highest personal ambition of the president would be to make his one term of office the best possible for the interests of the country, even if his course met the disapprobation of the leading party bosses. He would have no inducement to carry favor with partisans for partisan purposes, and they in turn could bring to bear far less influence upon him.

That the need of a constitutional amendment permitting this extension of the presidential term is steadily growing is the opinion of many careful observers of American conditions.

DEFINITION OF HOME.

A beautiful definition of home was given by Lady Aberdeen in the address delivered by her before the recent meeting at Toronto of the national council of women. "What is it that indefinable something that makes a home; that reveals itself in the books and pictures, in the arrangement of the rooms, in the preparation for a guest, in the tones of the children, in the expression of husband and wife. We cannot describe it, but we recognize it at once when it is present, and no home can be truly a home without some measure of it. We do not need just houses where we can eat heartily and sleep well, but we want homes, full of rest and peace and beauty and refreshment."

LOOK-A-STITCH IN TIME.

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The Kentucky electors show Robert Hughes as a champion to carry the state of the state's vote for president.

RELIGION OF THE RULERS.

THEY ARE OF VARIOUS FAITH, THOUGH MOSTLY CATHOLICS.

The religion of the head of a state or nation is usually the predominant belief of the nation itself. Queen Victoria, as devout a Christian as the humblest member of the Church of England, is a great lover of hymns.

Wilhelm, the young and energetic German emperor, is a sincerely moral and religious man. He is a Protestant, believing in the tenets of Luther.

The husband of Queen Wilhelmina of Holland will surely be a Protestant, for she is herself the best and most regular worshipper in the Dutch church. Moreover, the law of her land will not permit her to marry a Catholic.

King Christian of Denmark, though personally inclined to the Lutheran church, holds most liberal religious views regarding his people and members of his family.

King Oscar II of Sweden is of the Protestant faith, a practical Christian, and an ardent student of the bible. Switzerland's president, Col. Edward Moller, is a Protestant and a member of the Church of Christ. He worships simply as a private citizen.

President Kruger of the South African republic—if he can be called the president—is of course a member of the Dutch Protestant church.

The Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, is a devout Catholic. Col. Loubet, the most democratic president of France has known, is a Catholic.

King Victor Emmanuel, of Italy, is a Roman Catholic. Carlos I, of Italy, is a Roman Catholic.

Alfonso, the boy king of Spain, is a Catholic, his mother, the queen regent, attends mass every Sunday.

Leopold, king of the Belgians, is a Catholic.

The czar of Russia, the only layman of the Orthodox Russian church who is allowed to step foot into an altar, has his private chapel in both St. Petersburg and Moscow.

King George of Greece and Queen Olga are both devotees of the Orthodox Greek church. Their private chapel in Athens is one of the prettiest in Greece.

Nicholas, ruler of Montenegro, also lives according to the teachings of the Orthodox Greek church.

King Carl of Romania and his queen belong to the same church, as does Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria.

King Alexander of Serbia is of the Orthodox Greek faith. The Sultan of Turkey is an extreme Mohammedan.

The Khedive of Egypt and all his family are also of the Mohammedan faith.

The shah of Persia is a Mohammedan. The sultan of Morocco, a young man only 18 years old, is of the Mohammedan faith.

Menclik II, king of Abyssinia, goes to his native church every day in the year. Christianity was introduced into his country in the fourth century.

The king of Siam is a Buddhist, and was for some time a priest.

The emperor and empress of Japan are disciples of Shintoism, the faith of their ancestors for centuries back.

Among monarchs the emperor of China is the greatest martyr to religious ceremonial. Altogether he spends more than 150 days a year in religious duties.

President McKinley is in every sense of the word a Christian—regularly attending service at the Metropolitan Methodist Episcopal church.

The presidents of the South and Central American republics are nearly all Catholics, but only a few of them attend divine service.

A BRITISH TRIBUTE.

Alfred Harmsworth, the London publisher who is visiting the United States and creating very much of a stir, is a great admirer of America and Americans. In a recent interview he said: "On the mechanical side of everyday life you enter upon the twentieth century so far ahead of the world that I doubt whether we will ever catch up with you. In the great matter of surface transit, surely one of the most important features of modern life, you are leading the universe."

"You gave us the Morse telegraph, the telephone, the phonograph, the incandescent lamp, the Maxim gun, the linotype press, the linotype typesetting machine, the electric automobile, the typewriter, the sewing machine, the model office building, the Westinghouse brake and motor and numberless improvements on existing inventions which testify in every land to the force of American genius."

"You are giving your young people an education which, in my opinion, as expressed freely in my own newspaper at home as well as in this—altogether more suited to the requirements of the twentieth century than that we provide. Your public school system is the admiration of the world."

STRAIGHTEN UP.

Don't let fortune get you down. Snap your finger at her frown. Whistle when you want to howl. Smile when twinges prompt a howl. Straighten up!

Let not sorrow make you sigh—Faint her when she comes, too nigh. Neath no load and no care—Keep your back straight and your chin high.

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FREIGHT TRAINS

COLLIDED AND THE WHEELAGE TOOK FIRE.

Bellefonte, Ill., Jan. 14.—A disastrous wreck occurred at West Bellefonte at 1:30 a. m. Saturday in which two men were killed outright. They were Conductor W. A. Wing, of Sparta, Ill., and brakeman Edward King, of DuQuoin. Illinois Central freight 255 was waiting for orders in the yards. In the caboose Conductor Wing, who was returning home to see his sick wife, was asleep, and brakeman King was waiting the train's departure.

An extra freight of the same road approached from East St. Louis, unheeded, and suddenly crashed into the waiting train. The caboose was split almost in two. Four other cars were wrecked. Under the debris the two men were found terribly mangled.

Engineer Pope and Conductor Mooney of the extra jumped and escaped injury.

While the lackless victims were pinned beneath the cars the wreckage took fire and added to the horror. The two helpless victims were slowly burned to death and no one was able to help them.

No cries were heard from either Wing or King, but it is thought that they must have suffered horrible agonies by being slowly roasted to death.

The body of King was found near the boiler, both legs were nearly burned off below the knee. The body of Conductor Wing was badly burned. Both bodies were mutilated so that recognition was almost impossible, but King was identified by a Masonic chain.

The difference of 671 companies represents those whose charters were forfeited by the proclamation of Gov. Voorhees in May last for nonpayment of taxes.

REELFOOT LAKE.

TWENTY-FOUR FEET ABOVE THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.

The engineer in charge of the Reelfoot Lake levee district, says: "According to request, have run a preliminary level line from the Mississippi river at Tiptonville to Reelfoot Lake, and found that on the 10th of November, 1900, the date of the work, the elevation of Reelfoot Lake was 28 feet above the Mississippi river and 11 feet above the top of bank of slough below Tiptonville. It is my opinion that the large body of water in Reelfoot Lake is, in a great measure, responsible for the caving of the bank at Tiptonville, as the country between the lake and the river is resting on a bed of quicksand through which the water of the lake is draining to waste the river, and in so doing it will carry off a considerable quantity of the sand and weaken the foundation and cause the caving of the bank. By draining the lake, I believe that the caving of the bank at Tiptonville will, in a great measure, be remedied."

STATE CONVENTION.

TWO HUNDRED DELEGATES EXPECTED AT THE Y. M. C. A. MEETING.

Two hundred delegates are expected at the State convention of the Y. M. C. A. to be held at Louisville February 21-22, inclusive. The business men's reception and entertainment will be held at Warren Memorial Church February 22. The banquet adopted for the delegates consists of the emblem of the association, surrounded by a blue and white ribbon.

A general mass meeting will be held on the Sunday of the convention week in some central hall. The singing during the sessions will be led by a male chorus of forty voices.

NEIGHBORING DEATHS.

TWO WELL KNOWN MEN DIED NEAR APRACKEN.

Mr. W. G. Russell, aged 55, died last night at his home in Lovelaceville, from cancer of the stomach. He leaves a wife and five children. The remains will be buried tomorrow at Ashbrook cemetery.

Dan Boaz, aged 61, died from pneumonia at his home near Boaz Station last night, leaving a wife and six children. The remains will be buried tomorrow at the Boaz graveyard, services by Rev. Perkins.

BENTON NOTES.

Benton, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Sarah Parks, aged 75, and a highly respected citizen, died from pneumonia, after an illness of two weeks.

The defendants were the case of W. S. Griffith and J. M. Johnson against N. P. McVicar and others for the T. E. Barnes storehouse. The case was tried in Judge Shewell's court.

MANY WERE LOST.

Yokohama, Jan. 14.—It is believed that 1,400 fishermen missing several days ago perished in the storm of the 10th of that coast.

GREATEST IMPROVEMENT.

THOUSANDS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN IN CUBA AGAINST A FEW THOUSAND YEARS AGO.

New York, Jan. 15.—A. E. Frey, of Hishimul, Cal., who has just returned from Havana, where he spent two years as superintendent of public schools in Cuba, said last night: "There has been a great improvement in the condition of schools in Cuba. While there were not more than 10,000 pupils in 1897, there were 142,000 in May, 1900. The highest number ever registered before the war was 231,000, and the attendance never exceeded 17,000. There were no public schools in reality, under Spanish rule, and the school property had little or no value. Recently General Wood got the idea that many of the schools reported by me, and for which money was being drawn, did not exist. He gathered this by information submitted by schoolmasters. In my reports I reported the number of pupils, school rooms, while the military officers counted only the ecclesiastical school houses, thus confounding matters. But I soon explained the facts to the satisfaction of Gov. Wood."

"Under the system I have inaugurated no fraud is possible in the schools of Cuba. Under the old system there were ninety-four professors under pay in the University of Havana, where there were only 333 students."

Mr. Frey says that the Cuban children are very apt pupils and learn with great rapidity.

A Mr. Miles Darden, of Tennessee, 1,000 pounds. Possibly no one on earth has ever carried a man of this weight.

MILLIONS IN IT.

NEW JERSEY HARVEST AS HOME OF TRUSTS AND CORPORATIONS.

New York, Jan. 14.—In the annual report of the state board of assessors, which has just been submitted to the New Jersey legislature, it is stated that 6,005 corporations organized under the laws of the state of New Jersey have paid into the treasury during the last year the sum of \$2,051,209.

As the corporation tax rate in this state is one tenth of one per cent, on the paid in capital stock, or \$1 tax for every \$1,000 capital paid in, the 6,005 corporations must have paid tax upon \$2,051,209,000 paid in capital stock.

The state corporation department estimates that the 6,005 corporations assessed have a paid in capital stock of 20 per cent of the authorized capital stock. If the tax of \$2,051,209, represents \$2,051,209,000 paid in capital stock, the authorized capital stock must be five times \$2,051,209,000, or the sum of \$10,356,047,000. The increase in the number of miscellaneous corporations assessed during the year over that of 1899, is 1,136, although in reality 1,807 new companies were added to the list in 1900.

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STRENGTH IN WOMAN.

IS ADMIRABLE.

"Strength in woman is admired by a strong man always," writes Helen Watterston Moody in the December Ladies' Home Journal. "Of course, I mean by the phrase a 'strong man' a man who has some experience of life. It occasionally happens that a very young man of rare strength of character falls the victim in early life to the fascinations of a clinging, sweet, inefficient creature, as David Copperfield did to his Dora. But the older and the stronger and the wiser a man is, the more he is able to admire the deep strength of character in woman that springs from the large and easy ability to do things well."

UNIFORM DIVORCE.

The revival of the subject of uniform marriage and divorce laws in the several states, which seems to be consistent with the opening of the new century, has much of importance in it. The occasion is covering a wide range. For instance the Pittsburgh Post says: "The feeling appears to be growing that the constitution should be amended so as to give congress the power to deal with divorce and marriage. Its advocates say it would lead to the enactment of a uniform law of marriage and divorce—a law that would be the same in every state in the union, and that would put an end to the many loose and conflicting state statutes which have given rise to so many scandalous abuses and widespread complaints. Closely enough, while the constitutional convention dealt with various matters of less importance, such as patents, copyrights, bankruptcy, naturalization, counterfeiting, and so on, the institution on which home and society are founded was left to the discretion of the several states. Still the work of securing a constitutional amendment in the desired direction will be very difficult. No amendments have been adopted since the first twelve immediately after the organization of the government. The three other amendments were the results of the civil war."

Some of the most magnificent and historic jewels in the world are in the possession of Americans. Mrs. Bradley Martin has some of the French crown jewels, some of which are also the property of Mrs. Astor, who has a diamond ornament which once belonged to Diane de Poitiers. The Duchess of Marlborough has the famous Orlov's pearl, once the property of Catherine of Russia; Mrs. Clarence Mackay has some curious rings which formerly adorned a Hindoo rajah; Mrs. George Vanderbilt has a wonderful group of rubies unsurpassed by anything of the kind, while Mrs. Webb has a rope of pearls which rival in beauty those of Queen Margherita. Mrs. Ogilvie Haig has some magnificent jewels, and those of Countess de Castellano and Lady Curzon of Kedleston are also very fine.

SUCCESS—WORTH KNOWING.

Forty years success in the south, proves Hughes' tonic a great remedy for chills and all malarial fevers. Better than quinine.

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King Oscar of Sweden has recovered his health and will resume the reins of government in June.

PORTO RICO'S ADVANCEMENT.

Porto Rico has entered one phase of the territorial stage, but it is not content to remain in this condition permanently. It wants a delegate in the house of representatives. The island has a moderate share of home rule. It has made its start on the road to statehood, but it has a long way to go yet before it completes the journey. Its immediate aspiration is to secure the same sort of a government which is possessed by Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona, and have a representative in the popular branch of congress who can speak though not vote. Its commissioner in Washington does not have this privilege.

It is evident that Porto Rico has a future of which the United States can be proud. The island's commissioner in Washington says that "all that is required to make Porto Rico the most productive country in the world is the introduction of American capital," and he declares that the investment will take place just as soon as the island gets a full territorial form of government. There are two parties in the island, the Republican and the Federalist, the former of which want a territorial government of the advanced class at the earliest practicable moment, and the latter of which would stop just short of representation in congress, and preserve the conditions already existing. The Republican party of the island, it is certain, is the one which has the future on its side.

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10c bottle olive, 5c.
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The required number of tickets was not subscribed for, so it will not be possible to get the Chicago Glee club Saturday.

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On all our Boys' Misses' and Children's SHOES all kinds, all sizes; no odds or ends, a complete assortment to select from.

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LOCAL LINES.

—Kentucky and Illinois coal—lump, egg and nut—"Old Leo," anthracite, all sizes. "Phone 70. Harry & Henneberger. 1 3/4c.

—The funeral of the late Mr. A. N. Holt took place at 8:00 o'clock this morning. Burial at New Hope.

—See the "Little Men" play at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—John Kyle, a member of company "K" was yesterday at Mayfield, examined before the pension board at Mayfield. He has applied for a pension on the grounds of general disability from illness contracted during the Spanish-American war.

—The infant child of Mr. C. H. Lock, of Twelfth and Jackson, died last evening and the remains were today shipped to Mayfield for interment.

—J. Russell Bass, a steamboat steward, who has been ill for some time, was taken to Cairo and went into the Marine hospital there today.

—Pratt handles best coal in city, Lump, Egg and Nut. "Phone 190.

—An evening of rare enjoyment at the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8 o'clock.

—The Chicago Glee club will not come here. The number of tickets sold did not reach the required guarantee.

—Maugham Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F., will install officers tonight, as follows: R. I. Arnold, noble grand; G. Z. Umbaugh, vice grand; Frank Ellinger, treasurer; Charles Earhart, secretary. The appointive officers to be named tonight by the noble grand, will be installed also.

—The "Little Men" must not be late tonight, so we begin at 8 o'clock.

—Mr. Jas. Bell, 23, and Miss Lizzie Elliott, aged 17, of the city, were licensed to marry last evening.

—G. F. Gabriel's saloon license was in the county court yesterday transferred from 134 to 100 Broadway.

—Mr. Herman Weil, who is on a homeboat floating down the Mississippi river, writes back that he saw C. B. Everidge, the saloon keeper, who skipped out from Paducah several weeks ago, at Rosedale, Miss., a few days ago. He is connected with a mill there.

—George Rock is a typical Tommy in one sense.

—Mrs. W. T. Miller's pupils will give a recital at the K. of P. hall, Campbell building, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, to which the public is cordially invited.

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—Mr. H. Zuber will shortly establish a bowling alley in the building adjoining his saloon at Seventh and Trimble streets.

—All the characters are well selected, and you will say so when you hear them at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—City Tax Collector Kraus has begun work on the delinquent tax list, the completion of which will require several days.

—The remains of Nelson McClure, colored, who died yesterday on North Eleventh street, were buried this afternoon at Oak Grove.

—Price for "Little Men" entertainment 25 and 50 cents. At the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

—The board of county supervisors expect to finish up its work Saturday. Next week it will hear protests.

—The vestry of Grace church will meet this evening at 7:30 in the rector's study.

—The entertainment announced to be given tonight at Mrs. Wm. Endes has been postponed until Tuesday night.

—The wife of Mr. Wm. Schmidt, the market gardener of the Herndon neighborhood, presented him with an eleven-pound boy yesterday.

—There was a slight freeze last night and today, though bright, has been cool. A stiff breeze from the north has prevailed nearly all day.

—When the candidates get a good move on themselves the weather will no doubt moderate considerably.

—The Ladies' Mite Society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. Courtney Long, 1020 Clay street. A full attendance of all members is most earnestly desired.

—Mr. Claudio Burnhart, the caulker, of South Third, is ill.

—Mrs. W. D. Herbert, who has been ill from grippe, since Sunday, is better.

—Capt. Bart E. Linehan, of Dubuque, is at the Palmer.

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ABOUT PEOPLE.

Mrs. Judge Thomas King, of Clarksville, Tenn., has arrived for a several months' visit to her daughter, Mrs. Gus G. Singleton.

Miss Zoe Thompson, of Fulton, is a guest of Miss Flora Dicke.

Miss Edith Hildreth has returned to her home in the county, after visiting Miss Ella Smith.

Mr. Sam Amos and Miss Margie Amos, of the county, are visiting Dr. Amos.

Messrs. W. B. Kennedy and W. E. Cochran left today for a week's hunt in Tennessee.

Miss Mary O'Donnell left this morning for Cincinnati, having recovered from her two weeks' illness at the Eighth street infirmary.

Mrs. R. A. Jore, of Puryear, Tenn., has arrived to visit her daughter, Mrs. Albert Morrison, of St. Louis, who is visiting her father-in-law, Mr. C. W. Morrison.

Mrs. Anna Newirth, of Golconda, after a visit to the family of Connelman El Hannan, returned home yesterday.

Mrs. R. A. Hicks and sons, Robert and Walter, have gone to Trenton, Tenn., for a visit. They will return Saturday.

Mr. Dick Ashbrook, who has been visiting his mother for several weeks, leaves tomorrow for Hot Springs, Ark., to resume his duties as chief clerk of the Eastman Hotel.

Messrs. James Herring, Arch Rohmann and George Atwood have gone to Paris, Tenn., from which place they leave for a week's hunt.

Mr. John R. Smith, the coffin salesman, was in the city today.

Mr. G. E. Outlaw, of Clarksville, Tenn., is at the Palmer.

Mr. D. C. Stow has returned from Benton.

Mr. Joseph Dinkelspiel, a Louisville insurance man, is at the Palmer.

Mr. Z. T. Connor, of Murray, was at the Palmer today.

D. T. Kerr, of Hickory Grove, was at the New Richmond today.

Mr. W. J. Dice, of Kelsey, Ky., was at the New Richmond today.

Mr. W. J. Hamilton and family, of Whitesville, Ky., are at the New Richmond today.

Col. Rud Dale, of the county, is in the city today. He leaves Monday week for Texas to reside.

Mr. J. J. Dufour, of New York, is at the Palmer.

Yesterday's Louisville Post says: Judge E. W. Ragby, of Paducah, referee in bankruptcy for the First district, and applicant for district attorney of the proposed new federal district, is a guest of Rufers'. Mr. Ragby has been solicited to become the independent candidate for mayor of Paducah, but declined to enter the fight, although he feels confident that the Gobeille nominee for that office will be easily beaten.

Mr. G. W. Riley, of Renton, was in the city today.

Editor Mott Ayers, of the Fulton Leader, passed through the city at noon en route to Frankfort.

Mr. R. E. Lockridge and wife, of Mayfield, are in the city this afternoon.

Mr. Rupert Wright, of the Mayfield Messenger, was in the city this afternoon, en route to Metropolis.

Mr. Frank Harlan, Jr., wife and baby went to Princeton this morning. Mr. Harlan on business and Mrs. Harlan on a visit.

Mr. John W. Keller left today at noon for the Early Times distillery, owned by Friedman & Keller, on a several days' trip.

THE SICK.

Mrs. Young Taylor is improving from her illness from pneumonia.

Mrs. W. S. Walker, of South Third, is convalescing from pneumonia.

Mrs. M. G. Sale is ill from grippe.

Mrs. S. G. Given is improving from an attack of grippe.

Mrs. J. R. Puryear is improving from her illness.

Major T. T. Jones is on the sick list, but is able to get out.

Mayor James Lang is still on the sick list, having been unable to be at his office for two days.

Sheriff Rogers is reported better today, his many friends will be glad to learn.

Mr. Reese Gardner is improving at Dawson, where he has been some little time for his health.

Mrs. Henry Sanders, of South Tenth, is ill.

Mr. John Rehkopf's condition is still favorable.

Mr. Fred Gray, of Jackson street, is ill.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Society danced for sweet charity's sake at the Palmer last night. The occasion was the charity ball given by the members of the Monday Afternoon club.

The large dining room of the popular hostelry was thronged with social devotees gathered to assist in a noble work and the event was in every particular a happy and gratifying one. The grand march began promptly at 9:45, led by Mr. Roy Colley and Miss May Terrell, and it was a late hour before the gathering dispersed, pleased with the function and delighted that they had contributed a mite to the poor unfortunate who will be the beneficiaries.

The young ladies in charge of the affair are deserving of much praise for their commendable work. They raised a good net sum from the event and will be enabled to continue the good charity they have done this winter.

Mrs. King Brooks entertained the Young Ladies' Glee club and a number of visitors yesterday afternoon. The prizes were pretty and the luncheon dainty. Miss May Paxton won the elph prize, a chocolate pot; Mrs. Bugarner, the visitor's prize, a plaque; Mrs. Armour Gardner, the lone hand, a picture; and Mrs. Harris Rankin, the consolation, a figure.

Mr. Mark Whitten entertained at cards this afternoon complimentary to Miss Rosko Bailey, of Smithland.

The Wee club gave a delightful dance at Broadfrost's hall last night in honor of Miss Opal Moore, of Vialdo, Tenn. Miss Annie Utley, of Jackson, Tenn., and Miss Lucie Curl, of Mayfield, Miss Carl will return home after an extended visit to her cousin, Postman Jesse Carl, and the Misses Moore and Utley will return home tomorrow, after a very pleasant visit to Mrs. C. D. Hicks, of 1012 South Fourth street.

Beautiful Mercerized Foulards, look just like silk, fancy Persian patterns in all the new pastel shades. Just the material for inexpensive party dresses, 35c yard. Something new for shirt waists is that Mercerized Chambray in light blue, 25c per yard.

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Trolley lines are encroaching upon steam railroads just like automobiles are rivaling the horse carriage. Time won't be long before these competitors in traffic and movement stand about on an equal footing, and then the fight for supremacy will follow.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.

Mr. Joseph L. Friedman has returned from Chicago, and there will probably be a meeting of the Palmer house directors this afternoon late to further discuss opera house plans.

GREEN ACQUITTED.

The case against Given Greer, for disturbing public worship, was dismissed in Judge Sanders' court this morning.

The most complete line and greatest assortment of the newest things in white goods for waist and dress materials this season will be found at

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The postoffice at Concord, Tenn., was robbed by safe blowers.

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Mr. Wes Flowers wants to sell horses, mules, harness, wagons, etc., to be sold at auction Saturday, January 10, at 10 a. m., corner Fifth and Madison. Hop Little, Auctioneer.

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There was a smash in the Illinois Central yards this morning that threatened to burn up a finely appointed cafe had not proper precautions been taken at once, says yesterday's Fulton Leader. About 8 o'clock this morning switch engine No. 92 jammed into the cafe car. The shock caused the breakage of some glass in the cafe car and smashed up some dishes. A pan of grease in the culinary department of the cafe car was overturned and caught fire. Timely knowledge of the small flame prevented the burning of the car. The damage was slight. The front end of a Pullman car was splintered and glass windows also broken.

The Illinois Central's new passenger depot at Fulton has assumed definite shape, so that everyone can now distinguish the style of architecture. The carpenters are rushing the building in rapid completion and within ten days the work of moving the offices from the old depot will begin. The new depot will be one of the prettiest buildings in Fulton.

NEW ROUTE TO THE POLE.

London, Jan. 17.—Another pole seeker has been discovered in Capt. J. Elgar Berrier, of Quebec, who proposes to reach the pole by a new route. "My plan," he said, "is to start via Behring Straits, follow the coast of Siberia and enter the ice between 145 and 170 degrees east longitude, and then push north as far as the ice will permit. If the ship attains a better position than the Jeannette, I expect to reach the pole and return within three or four years."

Are the Chinese so serious and quiet because they wear que? This is apparently the case.

NEW GINGHAMS JUST ARRIVED.

Fine fast colored Gingham, in beautiful corded effects, 10c and 12 1/2c per yard.

Beautiful fast colored Zephyr Gingham, in checks and stripes, 15c and 25c per yard.

Very fine quality Madras in fancy corded and lace stripe effects, fast colors, 25c and 50c per yard.

Beautiful silk stripe Madras in assorted fast colors, 50c per yard.

36-inch silk stripe shirting Madras, 25c per yard.

Very fine smooth French Gingham, with fancy stripe effect, 60c per yard at

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WANTED—A white second cook in Hotel Mayfield, Mayfield, Ky. Communicate at once. 1932

WANTED—A good energetic boy at The Sun office. t f

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MARKET REPORT

Today's Quotations.

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GRAIN.

WHEAT—Open High Low Close
Jan. 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2
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CORN—
Jan. 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2
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OATS—
Jan. 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2
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PORK—
Jan. 13.95 13.95 13.95 13.95
May 14.02 14.02 14.02 14.02

LARD—
Jan. 7.87 7.87 7.87 7.87
May 7.47 7.47 7.47 7.47

RIBS—
Jan. 7.02 7.02 7.02 7.02
May 7.12 7.12 7.12 7.12

N. Y. COTTON

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Aug. 9.00 9.00 9.00 9.00
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